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TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP

By: _____

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

INGOLF BRAUNE, ET AL.

Application No. 10/579,133

Filed: December 18, 2006

For: SAFETY METHOD AND SAFETY
DEVICE FOR A MACHINE,
ESPECIALLY A BENDING PRESS

Customer No. 20350

Confirmation No. 6267

Examiner: Teresa Bonk

Technology Center/Art Unit: 3725

AMENDMENT

San Francisco, CA 94111
May 30, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

As a precautionary measure, applicants request an extension of time, if needed and if not separately attached hereto, and authorize the Commissioner to charge the fee therefor to our deposit account in accordance with our standing authorization for such charges.

In response to the Office Action dated April 2, 2008, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Title:

Please change the title of the application so that it reads in its entirety as follows:

--SAFETY METHOD AND SAFETY DEVICE FOR A MACHINE,
ESPECIALLY A BENDING PRESS--.